

PROCLAMATION

National Police Week

May 9-15, 2021

WHEREAS, the Congress and President of the United States have designated May 15th as Peace Officers' Memorial Day, and the week in which May 15th falls as National Police Week; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Shakopee Police Department play an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of the citizens of Shakopee; and

WHEREAS, it is important that all citizens know and understand the duties and responsibilities of their police department, and that members of our police department recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, by protecting them against violence and disorder, and by protecting the innocent against deception and the weak against oppression or intimidation; and

WHEREAS, the police department of Shakopee has grown to be a modern and scientific law enforcement agency that unceasingly provides a vital public service.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Mars, Mayor of the City of Shakopee, call upon all citizens of Shakopee and upon all patriotic, civic and educational organizations to observe the week of May 9-15, 2021 as Police Week, commemorating police officers, past and present, who by their faithful and loyal devotion to their responsibilities, have rendered a dedicated service to their communities and, in doing so, have established for themselves an enviable and enduring reputation for preserving the rights and scrutiny of all citizens.



Mayor of Shakopee

ATTEST:

City Clerk